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The EPIC Charity – Bristol: Opportunities Fund Referral Form

*As well as processing the grant this form is also used for monitoring purposes to help ensure we are receiving applications from a wide group of care-experienced young people.*

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| Full Name: | Date of Birth: | | Phone number: | Care Status:  In care [ ]  Care leaver [ ] |
| Email Address: | Preferred pronouns: | | Ethnicity: | First Language:  Interpreter Required? |
| Gender: | Nationality: | | Are you a parent? |
| Current address: | | | | |
| Do you consider yourself disabled? | | Are you happy to tell us your sexuality? | Do you have an asylum/refugee background? | |
| Personal Advisor/Social Worker or other Key Worker/Carer details to support your request:  Name:  Relationship to you:  Email:  Tel No: | | | | |

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| What are you seeking a grant for? Please provide web links and details (breakdown of costs and any important logistics and planning): |  |
| What difference will this grant make? |  |
| Supporting statement from PA:  *NB: if you are writing a supporting statement for a child in care please explain why the need cannot be met with other funds and any other charities/ grants that have turned you down* |  |

*We want as many people as possible to benefit from the scheme so please make sure any requests are best value. Grants are capped at a maximum of £500 and one per person. Please also note we are a very small team and grants may take up to 6 weeks after the application closing window to process.*

Please return this form to: [epic.charity@bristol.gov.uk](mailto:epic.charity@bristol.gov.uk)